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Re: West Lake Landfill
OU-2

Dear Mike:

Enclosed for your client's signature is the negotiated Administrative Order on Consent ("AOC") for the performance of an RI/FS for OU-2 at the West Lake Landfill located in Bridgeton, Missouri.

By signing this AOC Laidlaw is acknowledging our mutual understanding that to demonstrate that Laidlaw used its "best efforts" (as required by Section XV, paragraph 47 of the AOC) in attempting to obtain access to property not owned or controlled by it, Laidlaw will be required to show that it offered to pay reasonable compensation in consideration of such access.

Please transmit a signed signature page to me by this Friday, December the 9th. If you are unable to transmit the original signature page to me by the 9th, please Fax to me a copy of the signature page by the 9th with the original to follow by delivery on Monday the 12th. Once I have received Laidlaw's signature page I will place the AOC into concurrence here at the Region. Following signature by the Acting Division Director, I will file it with the Regional Hearing Clerk. I will then send a copy of the signed and filed AOC to you.

Thank you again for your efforts in getting this done. I look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,

David A. Hoefler
Assistant Regional Counsel